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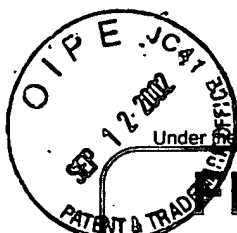
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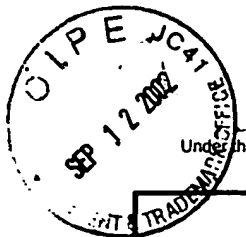
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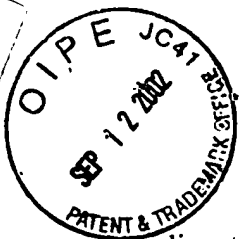
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RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.111

In response to the Examiner's action of May 6, 2002, please amend the application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION

Please amend the following paragraph appearing on page 9, lines 12-26 to correct an inadvertent typographical error. A marked-up version of the amended paragraph is provided as an attachment to this response.

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In a different embodiment, rather than a supply roller 20 and patterned roller 18, the applicator 24 comprises at least one spray nozzle (not shown) positioned to spray a patterned discontinuous layer of tackifier onto the passing reinforcement fibers. This discontinuous spray may be controlled by, for example, a patterned nozzle head, a predetermined movement of the nozzle, a predetermined variation in flow amount or a combination of the above. The nozzle receives a constant supply of tackifier through, for example, a supply tube. Typical spray patterns of this type are well known and used in the construction industry to laminate thin layers of board. An epoxy resin used as an adhesive is pressurized to about 30 psi and supplied to the spray nozzle. The spray nozzle dispenses the epoxy resin in a narrow stream. During the dispensing operation, the nozzle oscillates back and forth in a regular motion. This creates a regular pattern of resin on top of the board. When complete, there is a regular but discontinuous pattern of epoxy resin